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3 kw. and 5 kw. valves produced at

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#### the MAGYAR ADOCSOGYAR Electrical Plant, BUDAPEST

- 1. Attached are full-size drawings of the 3 kw, and 5 kw, valves produced at the former Phillips factory in BUDAPEST (now the MAGYAR ADOCSOGYAR Electrical Plant).
- 2. Abbreviations and Hungarian terms used by the draughtsman are as follows:-

SZIVO CSO (UVEG) = Suction tube (glass) (for creation of vacuum).

CU(E) = Electrolytic copper

Ni. = Nickel

Mo = Molybdenum

KEMENY OVEC = Hard glass (FERNIKO glass)

GYURU = Ring

 $O_*F_*H_*C_* = in a vacuum$ 

Tho. = Thorium

ZIRKONAZVAS = Zirconium .... ?

METRIKUS CSAVAR = Metrical bole

Ni IEMEZ = Nickel plate

Mo RUD = Molybdenum rod

Wc = Tungsten 50X1-HUM

Tho. 2% Wo. = Tungsten with 2% Thorium

RACS = Plates

KALIK VAGY KVING GYCLGY = Porcelain or quartz insulating blob

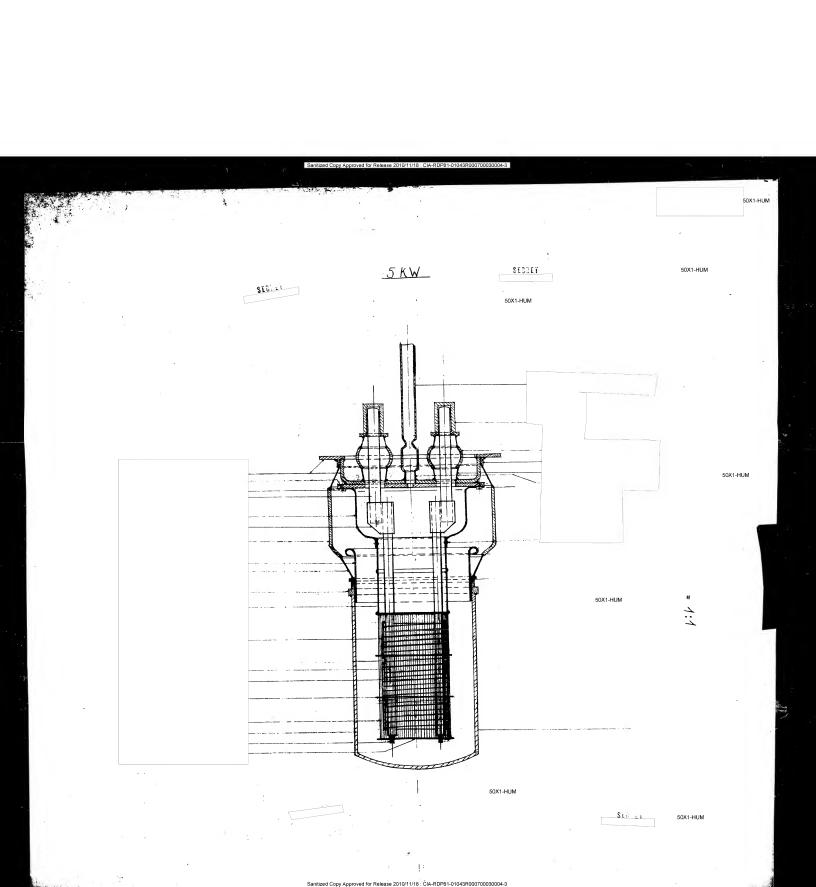
TAROSA = Round plate

IESZIVO RESZ (UVEG) = Suction part (glass)

Mo CZEGECS 6 DRB = 6-piece Molybdenum rivet

 $12 \times 3 / 25 \text{ m/m}$  = 12-piece bolt. 3mm. wide, 5mm. long

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# Plans of the MAGYAR ADOCSOFYAR Electric Plant BUDAPEST

- 1. Attached are drawings showing the layout of buildings, offices and workshops of the MAGYAR ADOCSOGYAR electrical plant, BUDAPEST (formerly PHILLIPS).
- 2. Also attached is a key indicating the work carried out in each room or workshop.
- The original factory consisted (1931) of that part which extends from rooms 5 and 6 (on the ground floor) and up to the present staff entrance at 35. In/1934, a separate block was built (rooms 1 and 2) but this was joined to the main building in 1935 by the addition of rooms 3 and 4.
- 4. In the years 1942 45, extensions to the factory were made to the east and northeast of the staff entrance as far as the present trade entra ce. This work was not properly finished until 1948.
- 5. A new block, two storeys high was started in 1950 from the trade entrance and extending out to the north and west. This work is only now being drawn to a close.
- 6. Of the other buildings:

A was built in 1943 - 44 (replacing an earlier timber construction)

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7. The head of this factory, on the technical side, was GARAY Laszlo and his deputy was SARRETTI Jozsef. On the administrative side, the head was ERMER Arpad and his deputy was KLEMENOVICS Jozsef. ERMER was theoretically but not actually, the head of the whole factory.

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1. Chemical research laboratory, under the direction	of TOMASEK
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known as HIKI II (i.e. HIRADAS TECHNIKAI INTEZET = Comm	unications
technical institute). HIKI I and III etc. were situat	ed in other
factories. TOMASEK had two assistants, one of whom wa	s Tallosne
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- 2. The office used by TOMASEK.
- 3. M.E.O. (MUNKAT ELLENÖRSÖ OSTALY = Work control office). This office checked the quality of the products made in rooms 5, 6 and 7.50X1-HUM

  There were two or three inspectors here including MAROS, Lajos

  He also had an office in room 44 on the first floor.
- 4. Corridor, stairs and W.C.
- 5. Tool-shop, producing tools used in the factory. Eight or ten men worked here.
- 6. Fitters and welders. Six men.
- 7. Workshop employing 25 men and producing components of valves (cooling systems, anodes, fernices etc.). LASKO Jozsef was in charge of this room as well as 5 and 6. Under him in room 7 worked PAPP Belo (foreman) and CSAMO (Sandor?).
- 8. Pumping room, in which air was extracted from the valves (sizes .5 KW to 20 KW and all types of mercury valves). The machines used were Hungarian patented High Frequency machines. This was an older part of the building, but did the same work as was done in room 25, (but the machines in the latter room were of a different type).
- 9. Changing rooms, W.C.s wash-rooms etc.
- 10. Store room for tools.
- 11. A workshop where machines were made to help in the process of valve manufacture. Instead of putting the job out to contract, it was often decided to make the necessary machine or apparatus on the spot. Here was made part of the apparatus for extracting air from thorium tubes, although the actual pumps were obtained elsewhere. HOMITS, Gyula was in charge of this section.

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- 12. In this room, machinery used in the factory was given periodical overhaul, and attention was given to machines which were giving less than their proper performance. It did not deal with actual breakdowns of machinery this was done by a team of men in room 26. KERESZTES, (Lajos?) was in charge of room 12 and had ten men under him.
- 13. This room housed the generating plant which supplied electric current (D/C only) for machinery in room 8 and elsewhere in the factory. It also housed aircompressors and High Frequency heating apparatus (10,000 period) in room 34 on the first floor. Four men worked in room 13.
- 14. Gatekeepers' office (with four or five persons) including an internal telephone exchange (14.a)
- 15. Room containing heating apparatus for purifying metals.
- 16. Ante-room.
- 17. Glass technicians room. Two persons worked here; one was
- 18. Here was housed some of the air-extracting plant used in the research department. (Two women worked here).
- 19. More air-extracting apparatus, but larger and more powerful. Four people worked here, including EREKI Vilmos and MAKO Zoltan (both qualified engineers, MALO was a Jew and a convinced communist).
- 20. This was a workshop producing components for the research section and a storeroom for the parts produced. DARIDA Istvan was the foreman; he had 3 men working for him.
- 21. This was the office used by research technologists including Dr.)

  XKONCZ, Istvan, a doctor of chemistry. He was in charge of the research sections, which included rooms 1, 2, 15 21. KONCZ came only twice a week to the factory as he was in charge of the chemical research laboratory at BUDAPEST University. Room 21 was also used by the other engineers (EREKI, MAKOS etc).
  - 22. Production manager's office: SZASZ, Laszlo (a Jew).
  - 23. Sales office or commercial section: TARCZON, Laszlo, assisted by one person.

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- 24. Material requirements office: manager was CZUG, Emil, assisted by a mainly female staff.
- 25. Pumping room, employing 25 people.
- 25a. Wired-off section containing vacuum pumps for the production of valves from  $0.5~\mathrm{KW}$   $160~\mathrm{KW}$ .
- 25b. As 25a, but not wired off.
- 25c. Wired-off section containing pumps for the production of mercury valves.
- 25d. Benches for testing and measuring performances of large valves.
- 25e. Benches for testing and measuring performances of small valves.
- N.B. Valves were kept in this room for ten days, after which they were given another examination prior to packing.
- 26. Office and workshop used by a breakdown repair service of 8 or 10
- men. The foreman was BETTENBUCH Miklos (cf room 12).
- 27. Packing room (2 3 persons).
- 28.) Darkrooms for X-ray photography of valve interiors. This operation
- 29.) could be carried out either before or after the extraction of air, but was normally done after.
- 30. W.C.
- 31. Washroom and Bathroom.
- 32. Changing room.
- 33. Corridor.
- 34. Trade entrance (not used by the staff).
- 35. Main entrance (the only one used by the staff).
- 36. Main gate (for lorries etc.)

#### FIRST FLOOR

- 1. Drawing office preparing plans for use mainly in room 11 on the ground floor. There were 8 10 men here under ZSIGMOND Janos, a qualified engineer.
- 2. Room used for the storing and reproduction of plans. Here worked X HEINGINGER, Jozsef and SZEDLACSEK Mihaly (Senior) whose son worked in room 11 on the same floor.
  - J. Drawing office for valves. 8 men worked here and were under HEINCINGER. SEGNET





- A room used for the training of glass technologists. There were normally about 12 students here, under MINICH, Gybrgy (himself a skilled technician
- Technical section, studying the processes and materials involved in the manufacture of valves (e.g. method of air-extraction, suitability of metals etc). The man in charge here was SARRETTI, Jozsef, with a deputy BERENYI, Janos. Eleven other men worked here.
- Workshop for the production of "dwarf tubes" (TORPE CSO i.e. indicator lamps, neon lamps). In charge was CSABO, Karoly, with 20-25 men under him.
- 7. Sports room.
- Component store-room for room 6 (1 person). 8.

- 10. Staff superintendent appointed by the Party. This post was occupied by a Mrs RAJNAINE assisted by a Secretary.
- 11. Labour office. This was run by SZEDLACZEK Mihaly (Junior) who acted as the factory's representative in all questions of pay, grievances, etc.
- 12. Workers' representative UZEMI BIZOTTSAG TITKAR, appointed and This man was FEHER paid by the Workers' Union Central organisation. Lajos, who also organised production competitions.
- 13. Petty cash office for incidental expenses (not wages).
- 14. Factory manager, ERMER, Arpad.
- 15. Ante-room for ERMER's office, and office for his secretary. 50X1-HUM
- 16. Factor chief engineer's office (GARAY, Laszlo).
- 17.) Clorks, 17 18 in number. KLIMANOVICS, Jozsef was the chief
- 19. Pay office where wages were paid out.

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20. Document office and records of correspondence. Stationery was als
kept here, but not the drawings and plans.
21. The norms office (NORMA IRODA) where the norms for the factory were
established. Four or five men worked here including JUHASZ, Jozsef,
LAKATOS, Antol and SZEDLACZEK (Jun.)
22. Office occupied by SVED Jozsef, materials supervisor. He had to
ensure a steady flow of materials into the factory in order to prevent
hold-ups in production.
SARRETTI Jozsef, head of the technical section in room no.5 also
used this office.
23. Planning office - G.Y.E.K. (GYARTAST ELOKESZITO OSZTALY). Six
or seven men were employed here including KOVESDI Frigyes and
MOLNAR Mihaly Their task was to plan production one month 50x1-HUM
ahead.
24. Security office (TITKOS UGY KEZELES). Here were kept all the 50X1-HUM
vital documents relating to the factory, to production and to personnel.
It was run by CSONGRADI, Margit (2
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25. In this office, future production was planned up to one year in
advance. It was run by a Dr. KAPOLNASI f.n.u., together with a female
assistant. KAPOLNASI was also responsible for monthly statistical 50X1-HUM
bulletins indicating the amounts paid out in wages etc. compared with
production over the same period.

25a. Office of the Party secretary, used by CSONGRADI when acting in this capacity.

27. Advance planning office (GAZDASAGI OSZTALY) responsible inter alia for ordering materials a year in advance. XAIMAN Tibor was in charge of four assistants (cf. office 25 above, which dealt with future production).

28. A room used for minor sand-blasting operations (cleaning of parts, etc.) The engine producing the compressed air was under the stairs near room 23. on the ground floor.

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- 29. Workshop producing small components for tubes. 10 or 12 men worked here.
- 30. Office used by VAGO, Bela and his two deputies SZEPVOLGY, Miklos and BATORFI, Geza. VAGO was in charge of the work done in rooms 28 37 (less rooms 31 33).
  - 31 . X-ray room (developing and processing).
  - 32. X-ray room (with apparatus running at 150,000 volts).
  - 33. Instrument room for the apparatus in room 32.
  - 34. Workshop for producing small valve-components and also for heating components (for purification of metals).
  - 35. Assembly room for large valves ( 6 men).
  - 36. Ditto (also 6 men).
  - 37. Room containing an electric stove for heat-purifying components (The store was fitted with hydrogen to prevent oxidisation). One man only worked here.
  - 38. Chemical cleansing room.
- 39. Room for the cataphorisation (?KATAPHORIZATOR) (? CIRKONIZALAS) of various metals.
- 40. Room for electro-plating with nickel, copper and silver the various small prevision parts of the valves.
- 41. Room for polishing tungsten (wolfram) with electricity. A(Mrs.)

  SZAKAL Jozsefne was in charge of seven workers here, but both she and the others also worked in rooms 38, 39 and 40.
  - 42. M.E.O. (similar to that in room 3 on the ground floor) for checking the products of the workshops on the first floor.
  - 43. Components store room.
  - 44. Office used by the head of the M.E.O., (MAROS Lajos: see room 3. on ground floor), and also EEBOK, Sandor, head of the glass section.
  - 45. Office used by a repair team similar to that in room 26 on the ground floor, except that it dealt with breakdowns in the glass components of pumping apparatus. Four men were employed here and were constantly having to attend to the 30 35 pumps in the factory.
  - 46. Section for manufacturing glass. 15 16 men were employed here, under SEBOK.

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- 48. Design improvement research section (FEJLESZTESI OSZTALY KISERLETI SZOBA) headed by DEAK, Miklos, with three assistants, all qualified engineers: SZABO Laszlo, EGERSZEGI, Lajos, POLCZOS (Tibor?).
- 49. Corridor.
- 50. Rest-room for the research staff in room 48.
- 51. Office of DEAK Miklos.
- 52. Board-room or consultation room.

#### SECOND FLOOR

The second floor of the factory is devoted to the manufacture of small-size valves e.g. TUNGSRAM types OT 100, OT 400 and OS 125. There were about 18 people employed on this floor.

- 1. A section wired off from the rest of the room and used for measuring the electrical capacity of the valves produced. Three men worked here.
- 2. Bench where the plug-head was fixed to the glass body of the valves.
- 3. A line of 5 vacuum-pumps.
- 4. Office used by the heads of this department: GUBICS Janos and (Dr)
- 5. Room used by the glass worker, SEBOK Geza, (brother of SEBOK Sandor in room 44 on the first floor). A workman, not a technologist.
- 6. Room housing a pre-pumping unit, used to test the valves for leaks before final exhaustion.
- 7. Workshop for assembling the valves.
- 8. Room used for the chemical cleansing of small components (CIRKONIZALAS).
- 9. Workshop for the manufacture of components. Two people worked here.

  GROUND FLOOR (Other buildings)
- A. 1. General stores.
  - 2. Office of the stores manager, KALMAR Istvan.
- 3. Office of the "Political Representative" appointed by the AVH.

  This official was a woman KOVESDI Jozsefne (nee BERCZI Zsuzsanna)

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- B. Store room for gas cylinders (oxygen, hydrogen etc.)
- C. Plant for producing liquid air.
- D. 1. Labourers or unskilled workers pool. Here labourers used to wait until required for work.
  - 2. Joiners' room.
- E. 1. Office of DEAK Andras, the official in charge of the breakdown teams in rooms 12 and 26 on the ground floor and room 45 on the first floor.
  - 2. Surgery.
  - 3. Creche.

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